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Sir:

In connection with the above-identified application and pursuant to Applicant's duty of disclosure, enclosed please find an article and a list, on a form substantially equal to Form PTO-1449, listing this document for the Examiner's consideration.

This Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted prior to a first Office Action on the merits in the aboveidentified application.

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It is respectfully requested that this information disclosure statement be considered by the Examiner.

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